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SUBJ: AMERICAN SECURITY COUNCIL AND /RADIO FREE AMERICAS"

1. REPORTS HAVE REACHED OUR ATTENTION LINKING THE AMERICAN SECURITY COUNCIL AND "RADIO FREE AMERICAS" NOT ONLY WITH NYT PUBLICATION OF LETTER FROM SEVENTY-SIX CONGRESSMEN CONCERNING MEXICO'S SUPPOSED DRIFT TOWARD COMMUNISM BUT WITH CERTAIN NEWSPAPER ADVERTISEMENTS AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS WHICH HAVE APPEARED WITHIN MEXICO.

2. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS THAT AMERICAN SECURITY COUNCIL IS RESPECTABLE, IF RATHER CONSERVATIVE, POLITICAL ORGANIZATION WELL ESTABLISHED IN THE UNITED STATES. "RADIO FREE AMERICAS" IS SAID TO BE AN ACTION ARM OF THE COUNCIL, PUBLISHING NEWS REPORTS OF A POLITICAL CHARACTER IN LATIN AMERICA.

3. IN ANTICIPATION OF QUESTIONS WE EXPECT TO ARISE, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S PROVIDING SUMMARY DESCRIPTION OF THE COUNCIL AND "RADIO FREE AMERICAS", AS WELL AS AN INDICATION OF ANY RELATIONSHIP WHICH MAY EXIST BETWEEN EITHER OF THESE ORGANIZATIONS AND US GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.
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